

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-26 (canceled)

Claim 27 (currently amended): An outer decorative cover for attachment to a wireless communication device including a printed circuit board mounted in an interior of the wireless device, the outer decorative cover comprising:

an inner and outer surface;

a light source mounted in the inner surface; and

an optical fiber incorporated in a pattern as part of the outer decorative cover and including an input end for receiving light from the light source when the light source is activated and the outer decorative cover is attached to the wireless communication device and a side surface which transmits the light therethrough along a length of the fiber when the light is received by the input end so as to cause the light transmitted along the length of the fiber to be visible when viewing the outer surface,

wherein the light source is configured to be connected to a battery external to the outer decorative cover when the outer decorative cover is attached to the wireless communication device to receive power from said battery to activate the light source to emit light.

Claim 28 (currently amended): An outer decorative cover for attachment to a wireless communication device including a printed circuit board mounted in an interior of the wireless device, the outer decorative cover comprising:

an inner and outer surface;

a light source mounted in the inner surface; and

an optical fiber molded in a pattern as part of the outer decorative cover and including an input end for receiving light from the light source when the light source is activated and the outer decorative cover is attached to the wireless communication device and a side surface which transmits the light therethrough along a length of the fiber when the light is received by the input

end so as to cause the light transmitted along the length of the fiber to be visible when viewing the outer surface,

wherein the light source is configured to be connected to a battery external to the outer decorative cover when the outer decorative cover is attached to the wireless communication device to receive power from said battery to activate the light source to emit light.

Claim 29 (canceled)

Claim 30 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 27, wherein the optical member is embedded in the outer decorative cover.

Claim 31 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 27, wherein the optical fiber is adhered to the inner surface of the outer decorative cover.

Claim 32 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 27, wherein the optical fiber is adhered to the outer surface of the outer decorative cover.

Claim 33 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber thread.

Claim 34 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber panel.

Claim 35 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the light source comprises a plurality of light emitting devices, each light emitting device being adapted to emit light of a different color, and the optical fiber comprises a plurality of optical fiber threads, the input end of each thread being adjacent a respective one of the light emitting devices so that each thread transmits light of a different color.

Claim 36 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the light source comprises a plurality of light emitting devices, each light emitting device being

adapted to emit light of a different color, and the optical fiber comprises a plurality of optical fiber panel portions, the input ends of each panel portion being adjacent a respective one of the light emitting devices so that each panel portion transmits light of a different color.

Claim 37 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the light source comprises a light emitting diode.

Claim 38 (canceled)

Claim 39 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 27, wherein the light source is activated to emit light in response to receipt of an incoming call to the wireless communication device.

Claim 40 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the light source is activated to emit light in response to receipt of an incoming call to the wireless communication device.

Claim 41 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 27, wherein the pattern is configured to permit playing of a visual game on the outer decorative cover of the wireless communication device.

Claim 42 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 28, wherein the pattern is configured to permit playing of a visual game on the outer decorative cover of the wireless communication device.

Claim 43 (new): An outer decorative cover for attachment to a wireless communication device, the outer decorative cover comprising:

- an inner and outer surface;

- a light source mounted in the inner surface; and

- an optical fiber incorporated in a pattern as part of the outer decorative cover and including an input end for receiving light from the light source when the light source is activated,

wherein said light source is configured such that, when activated, radiated light is viewable on the outer surface only through a length of said optical fiber when the outer decorative cover is attached to a wireless communication device.

Claim 44 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 43, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber thread.

Claim 45 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 43, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber panel.

Claim 46 (previously presented): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 43, wherein the optical fiber is adhered to the outer surface of the outer decorative cover.

Claim 47 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 43, wherein the light source is activated to emit light in response to receipt of an incoming call to the wireless communication device.

Claim 48 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 43, wherein the pattern is configured to permit playing of a visual game on the outer decorative cover of the wireless communication device.

Claim 49 (new): An outer decorative cover for attachment to a wireless communication device, the outer decorative cover comprising:

an inner and outer surface;

a light source mounted in the inner surface; and

an optical fiber incorporated in a pattern as part of the outer decorative cover and including an input end for receiving light from the light source when the light source is activated and the outer decorative cover is attached to a wireless communication,

wherein said outer surface is at least constructed of material at locations corresponding to the optical fiber pattern to permit the light, which is received by the input end and transmitted

through a side surface along a length of the optical fiber, to be visible through the outer surface of the outer decorative cover.

Claim 50 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber thread.

Claim 51 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the optical fiber comprises an optical fiber panel.

Claim 52 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the light source comprises a plurality of light emitting devices, each light emitting device being adapted to emit light of a different color, and the optical fiber comprises a plurality of optical fiber threads, the input end of each thread being adjacent a respective one of the light emitting devices so that each thread transmits light of a different color.

Claim 53 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the light source comprises a plurality of light emitting devices, each light emitting device being adapted to emit light of a different color, and the optical fiber comprises a plurality of optical fiber panel portions, the input ends of each panel portion being adjacent a respective one of the light emitting devices so that each panel portion transmits light of a different color.

Claim 54 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the light source comprises a light emitting diode.

Claim 55 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the light source is activated to emit light in response to receipt of an incoming call to the wireless communication device.

Claim 56 (new): An outer decorative cover as claimed in claim 49, wherein the pattern is configured to permit playing of a visual game on the outer decorative cover of the wireless communication device.

Claim 57 (new): A wireless communication device system comprising:

a communication device portion including:

a first cover;

a printed circuit board including:

a keypad that is accessible through the first cover;

a display that is visible through the first cover;

an antenna; and

a battery; and

a detachable second cover including:

an inner and outer surface;

a light source mounted to the inner surface, the light source configured to receive power to transmit light from the battery when the detachable second cover is attached to the communication device portion; and

optical fiber incorporated in a pattern as part of the detachable second cover, the optical fiber including:

an input end for receiving light from the light source when the light source is activated and the detachable second cover is attached to the communication device portion; and

a side surface which transmits the light therethrough along a length of the optical fiber when the light is received by the input end so as to cause the light transmitted along the length of the optical fiber to be visible when viewing the outer surface.